Consult early with BCDC to verify BCDC's jurisdiction, determine required applications and environmental documentation, and recommended mitigation. Redesign project to avoid or minimize activities in or around the San Francisco Bay or Suisun Marsh. **Potential Scenarios** *If the project involves* routine maintenance . . activities considered that qualifies for approval . . activities that qualify more extensive than minor . federal funding or a under an existing BCDC as minor repairs or repairs or improvements. federal sponsor . . . regionwide permit . . . improvements . . . BCDC conducts a "federal consistency" project review similar Administrative Major Regionwide to the permit **Permit Permit** Permit application review process. Submit permit application and supporting Submit permit application and documentation. supporting documentation. BCDC staff distributes application summary to BCDC holds a public BCDC staff reviews project for federal and State resource agencies and the hearing to review consistency with regionwide public. BCDC staff reviews project for application for major permit. compliance with administrative or major permit permit. requirements. Does BCDC staff determine that the project is compliant with an Applicant responds to comments existing regionwide permit? and objections, as required. Yes No **BCDC Executive Director** BCDC staff prepares recommendation for approval or denial. authorizes project. Application for administrative permit is placed on consent Applicant signs and returns calendar. BCDC acts on application at next commission meeting. permit. **BCDC Executive Director** Does BCDC approve the denies authorization. permit? Redesign project to comply with regionwide permit conditions. Major permit Permit Administrative denied. permit denied. approved. or) Refile application Applicant signs and Refile application for an Resubmit Redesign or for a "major" administrative" or "major" application. project. returns permit. permit. permit.

Figure 8
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